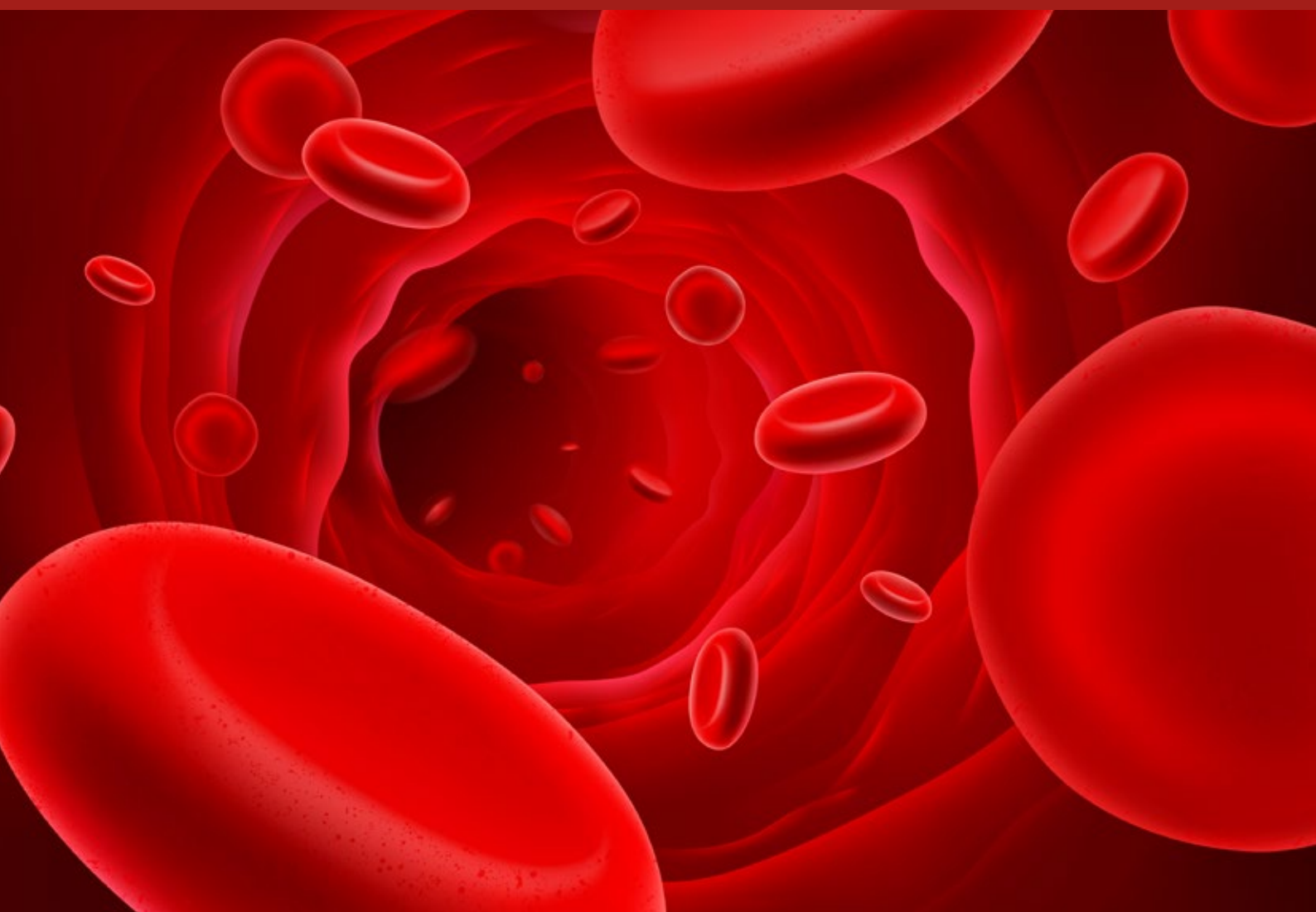


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This conference will provide a practical guide to improving anticoagulation therapy services with a focus on improving quality, patient safety and including updates and case studies on ensuring safety and quality for patients on new oral anticoagulants.

The conference will open focusing on the patient and on self monitoring and empowering patients following the September 2014 recommendation from NICE on self monitoring which stated that **“The evidence shows that greater use of self-monitoring offers clinical and patient benefit and, over time, is likely to result in reductions in heart attacks and strokes caused by blood clots...People on long-term anticoagulation need to monitor their blood regularly to make sure they are taking the right dose of their drug. Because self-monitoring provides almost instant results, self-monitoring can reduce anxiety, provide a sense of control for the patient and remove the need to frequently attend clinics or hospitals. The Committee also heard that self-monitoring allows people to visit, or act as a carer for, other family members, without having to worry about attending testing appointments.”** Professor Carole Longson, NICE Health Technology Evaluation Centre Director, September 2014

The conference will continue with an update on monitoring adherence to the revised AF guidelines announced by NICE. NICE stated that offering patients anticoagulants could help prevent thousands of strokes and premature deaths from atrial fibrillation (AF), according to NICE. Around 800,000 people in England are known to be at risk of stroke from AF. Of these, half are taking anticoagulants, and a third are currently taking aspirin. However, two-thirds of people admitted to a hospital with a stroke caused by AF are not taking recommended anticoagulants. NICE estimates that with effective detection and protection with anticoagulant drugs, 7,000 strokes and 2,000 premature deaths could be avoided each year. The session will look out how you can improve effective detection and management of these patients in your service.

The conference will also focus on improving patient safety, learning from incidents and near misses and proactive tools to improve safety in anticoagulation therapy including the development of a nurse led anticoagulation service.

The afternoon sessions focus on improving practice and safety in the use of new oral anticoagulants, sessions include practical case studies and evidence updates. The final session will focus on developing your skills in Root Cause Analysis including an in depth case study of an Anticoagulation RCA.

100% of the delegates at our last anticoagulation therapy conference would recommend this conference.

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10.00 Chairman's Introduction & Welcoming address

Nicky Fleming *Chair Anticoagulation in Practice (AiP) Society*

10.10 Anticoagulation Matters: Involving and empowering patients in self monitoring

Diane Eaton

Project Manager

Anticoagulation Europe

In September 2014 NICE recommended self-monitoring tests for people on long-term anticoagulation therapy

- learning through personal journeys of anticoagulation therapy
- self monitoring: the impact on quality of life
- involving patients as partners: key issues and tips for success

10.40 Monitoring adherence against the updated NICE guidance on Atrial Fibrillation a year on

Member,

Guideline Development Group on Atrial Fibrillation

National Institute for Health and care Excellence

- early intervention and identification of patients with Atrial Fibrillation
- monitoring adherence against the 2014 updated guidance on Atrial Fibrillation a year on: ensuring every patient is offered NOAC's
- ensuring each patient has a clear management plan which takes into account their personal preferences and the clinician's view of the evidence that has been clearly laid out in the guideline

11.10 Question & answers followed by tea & exhibition at 11.20

11.50 Improving patients safety: Anticoagulation errors/near misses Case histories and management

Speaker to be announced

- learning from anticoagulation errors and near misses
- case studies and management in practice
- training and educating junior doctors and frontline staff
- instilling a zero tolerance approach to anticoagulation errors

12.20 Developing a clinic service including risk management strategies for every patient

Deb Kelleher

Service Lead for the Wirral DVT Anticoagulation Service

Wirral Community Trust

- developing an effective nurse led service
- developing a quality assurance framework including risk management strategies for every patient
- Anticoagulation Matters: spreading the message and increasing referrals

12.50 Question & answers followed by lunch & exhibition at 13.00

Focus: New Oral Anticoagulants: Improving Patient Safety

14.00 Reducing Medication Errors and ensuring patients receive oral anticoagulation therapy within safe levels

Yen-Lin Chee

National University Hospital, Singapore

- focusing on high risk medicines including anticoagulation therapy
- ensuring patients receive oral anticoagulation therapy within safe levels
- measuring and monitoring the reliability of the anticoagulation process: learning from errors and implementing error reduction strategies

14.30 Educating frontline staff in the management of patients on the new oral anticoagulants

Hayley Flavell

Anticoagulant and Thrombosis Consultant Nurse

The Royal Bournemouth & Christchurch Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

- developing triggers to ensure staff are aware when a patient presents on the new oral anticoagulants
- training and educating frontline staff
- developing protocols to support the identification and management of those on new agents and their indications

15.00 Question & answers followed by tea & exhibition at 15.40

15.30 Improving patient safety and experience through new oral anticoagulants

Dr Will Lester

Consultant Haematologist

New Queen Elizabeth Hospital Birmingham

- new treatments: risk v benefit
- managing the new anticoagulants in your service
- screening and working with patients and patient education

16.00 Developing your skills in root cause analysis

David Tooth

CEO

Root Cause Analysis SoLogic

- developing your skills in root cause analysis
- when you should undertake a root cause analysis
- a step by step guide to an effective RCA
- case study: an RCA of an anticoagulation incident

16.30 Question & answers followed by close 17.10

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